



# THE PALAIS ROYAL.

The Year's Best Bargains, and the Reason Why.

Here are the facts concisely told: The makers of Shirt Waists find themselves unable to secure further supplies of materials at anything like the prices they paid earlier. The consequence is they cannot reproduce the garments at the prices asked until now. Their predicament, and ours, is this: The Waists you have learned to know cannot be raised in price without a storm of protest, but others can be made with less elaboration and sold profitably. And so two of the leading makers dispose of their entire present stock to the Palais Royal representative—and the year's best bargains are to be distributed, beginning tomorrow.

## Waists at \$1.39 & \$1.98 for Choice.

New garments are to be made at above prices—but they will be different and very much less elaborate. You'll not find the equal of these Waists again this season at less than \$2 to \$3. Please remember this statement—and learn that the Palais Royal announcements are made knowingly and without exaggeration.



## Separate Skirts

At \$5.00 to \$25.00 Each

The new spring styles. The broadcloth, plain and fancy Panama, and man-like cloth Skirts are here at \$4.98 to \$25 each, in black, various colors and mixtures. The Cream Panama, Voile, Serge and Broadcloth Skirts are \$5.98 to \$25 each. The Black Voile Dress Skirts, with taffeta drop, are \$15 to \$40 each. The Black Taffeta and Moire Silk Walking Skirts are \$8.98 to \$22.50 each.



98c

Many of these Waists cannot be duplicated at less than \$2. The least attractive styles will cost not less than \$1.50. Regular patrons are particularly asked to have implicit faith in this statement—and be one of tomorrow's early visitors, amply rewarded.



## Petticoats, \$4.98

Some Worth \$7.50

Taffeta Silk Petticoats, black and all the newly wanted colors, all new styles; some with tucked ruffles and shirred flounces; all with extra dust ruffle. Milady knows the usual \$5 Silk Petticoats, and a pleasant surprise is in store.

88c FOR \$1.00 PETTICOATS

Choice of ten styles, of silk-like material, made up as are the expensive silk petticoats. Note that the "Novent" is included, the new skirt with patent elastic top, requiring no vent, hooks, tapes or any fastening.

## Comparison Sale.

Last week was devoted to a "comparison sale," and it proved the most instructive and successful occasion of years. It was natural—every leading maker of Man-tailored and Dress Suits was represented. Their rivalry brought out their best effects, resulting in superior garments at very moderate prices. The sale has been talked of in the homes and in the stores more than any for years. Some of the most approved garments are pictured here.



## New Suits at \$15.00.

A well-known maker, not yet represented here with suits at less than \$20, sends 50 garments for exhibition and sale tomorrow, comprising Man-tailored Cloth Suits, the new Eton and jacket effects. Note the fancy vest and the braid and button trimmings. All sizes in black, light grays, tans, blues and greens; in plain cheviots, mixtures and checks. Superb suits at the price—only \$15.



## New Suits at \$20.00.

From another maker come 25 new suits to retail at \$20. Those made of man-like cloths will serve admirably later as traveling suits. More dressy are the broadcloth and Panama suits, all made up in the chic polo and Eton effects, with new circular and pleated skirts. All sizes, in Alice blue, greens, light grays, tans, navy and black. Good value at \$25. You'll think so, if you don't say so.

## Mme. Lacross Retained.

Mme. Lacross is the leading authority in the United States as far as French corsets are concerned. She is here for another week, with samples of the new Paris-style Corsets. \$2.19 suffices for models worth up to \$5. Only \$3.50 to \$12.50 for models worth up to \$15. Interview Mme. Lacross; her advice is yours gratuitously. Please note her services have been paid for by the Palais Royal proprietor—and that you are to feel under no obligation to purchase. Be fitted and learn of the newly graceful tapering waist and higher bust.



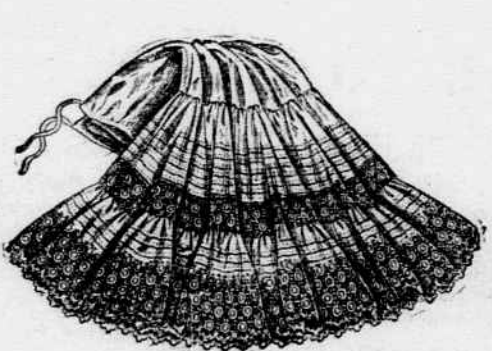
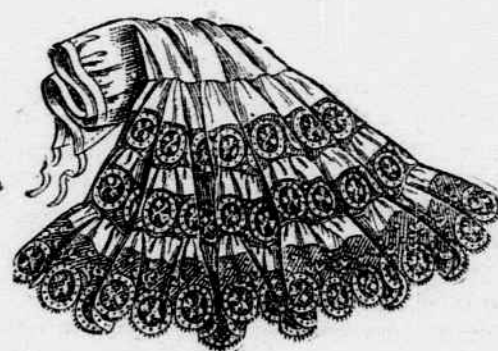
## Lingerie.

As with white-wash waists, so with underwear. The makers have to raise their prices or get out less elaborate garments. The latter plan is adopted and the samples and balance of present stocks are disposed of. The garments to be distributed tomorrow will be infinitely more elaborate than will future offerings. See contents of first and third floor tables.



## Four of the Garments at 84c

Much Superior to Future \$1.00 Lingerie.



## To Mothers.

Children's Drawers, made of good quality muslin and cambric, with small ruffle. All sizes, from 1 to 14 years. 11c

Children's Petticoats of good cambric, full underbell style, with tucks and ruffle. All sizes, from 1 to 14 years. 25c

Children's Gowns, of Masonville muslin, tucked and embroidered yoke, ruffle around neck and sleeves. All sizes, from 1 to 14 years. 50c

Boys' Night Shirts and Drawers, of good, strong muslin. Shirts trimmed with red and blue braid. Sizes 2 to 14 years. 50c

Babies' Short Skirts, with waist, finished with deep hemstitched hem. Sizes 6 months to 4 years. 15c

Babies' Long and Short Slips, cambric or muslin, some with embroidery and tucked yoke; others empire style, with hemstitched ruffle. Sizes 1 week to 3 years. 25c



Choice for \$1.79.  
Lingerie that cannot be reproduced to sell at less than \$2 to \$3.



## Four of the Garments at 69c

The New \$1 Lingerie Will Be No Better.



Choice for 33c.  
Gowns, Drawers, Skirts, Corset Covers and Chemises, worth 50c.



## Chiffon Lisse, 25c Yard.

The chief of this department, just from New York, says: "McCreary distributed 1,000 pieces of this stuff, at retail, in little more than ten days." It's a facsimile of the \$2 Imported Chiffon Lisse, made in plain and checks, in new grays, violets, tans, blues, black and white. 500 pieces now here, at only 25c yard.

75c Silk, 59c; \$1.25 Taffeta, \$1.00; 75c Messaline, 59c.

New Bargain Spots on the second floor—59c instead of 75c for Printed Radium Silk, in coral, old rose, Alice blue, reseda, black and white. \$1 instead of \$1.25 yard for 36-inch-wide Rainproof Taffeta, wear guaranteed. 59c instead of 75c for Imported Glace Messaline, in the yellows, violets, greens and other shades for millinery and frocks.

## 6½c to 25c.

10c to 37c Values.

Silk Organdie, 25c instead of 37c yard. White Figured Shirting Madras, 19c instead of 25c. Linen Luster Suiting, fast colors, 15c instead of 19c. Floral Lawns, 9½c instead of 12½c. Dress Gingham, 6½c instead of 10c.

## Black Voile, 49c Yard.

Lupin's All-wool Black Voile, 42 inches wide, at 49c yard, will be the greatest price surprise of this week in Washington. The next greatest surprise—75c yard for 48-inch All-wool Batiste. Then come 36-inch wide Black and White Japanese Silks at 50c and 68c yard, instead of 68c and 75c.

Headquarters for Gray Suitings at 49c to \$1.50.

Told you of "Queen Grays" two months ago, and how they would be scarce and dear later. Please note and remember that Palais Royal statements are worth profiting by. 50-inch Invisible Plaid Gray Suitings here at 75c; elsewhere at \$1.00 yard. Gray Melange Mohair and Panama Suitings are here up to 54 inches wide.

## Bargain Spots.

The chief of this second floor department, just from New York, reports prices rising, and having had great good luck in securing the following mill oddsments:

60-inch Bleached Irish Linen Table Damask; value 50c.....	36c	20x40-inch Bleached Huck Towels; value, 12½c.....	9c
70-inch Heavy Bleached Mercerized Table Damask; value 75c.....	59c	10x38-inch Bleached Hemstitched Huck Towels; value, 15c.....	11c
72-inch Fine Bleached Irish Table Damask, all linen; value 98c.....	69c	20x40-inch Bleached Turkish Bath Towels; value, 19c.....	12c
72-inch Extra Heavy Fine Bleached Irish Table Damask; all linen; value, \$1.25.....	98c	54x90-inch Bleached Muslin Bed Sheets; value, 50c.....	39c
5-8 All-linen Bleached Irish Table Napkins; value, \$1.25.....	98c	81x90-inch Bleached "Ironclad" Bed Sheets; value, 75c.....	59c
29-inch Heavy Bleached Irish Table Napkins; value, \$2.00.....	\$1.50	43x36-inch Bleached Muslin Pillow Cases; value, 12½c.....	9c
18-inch All-linen Crash Toweling; value, 12½c.....	10c	11-4 Crochet Bed Spreads, Marcellines pattern; value, \$1.00.....	79c
		11-4 Extra Fine Crochet Bed Spreads, Marcellines pattern; value, \$1.25.....	98c

## 19c and 29c.

Some are worth 50c.

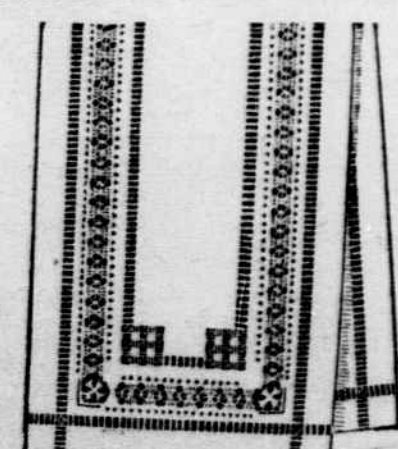


On their way from New York. Due tomorrow morning—Swiss Ribbed Vests and Corset Covers, worth 25c and 35c, for 19c. Lisle Thread Stockings, boot patterns and other novelties, worth 35c and 50c, for 29c pair.

## Hemstitched Linens.

Also Hand-made Renaissance Pieces, worth 25c to \$3.50, for 15c to \$1.75. Go to Art Department, near G street door, for the following Drawn-work and Hemstitched Linens:

9c to 12½c for Dollies, one row drawn work, 7x7, 10x10, 12x12 inches.	50c	to 98c for Lunch Covers and Shams, 3 rows drawn work, 30x30, 36x36, 45x45 inches.
25c to 30c for Center Pieces, 3 rows drawn work, very elaborate, 18x18, 20x20, 24x24 inches.	39c	to 50c for Bureau Scarfs, 3 rows of drawn work, 18x36, 18x45, 18x54 inches.



## \$3, Worth \$5.

Best quadruple-plated Silverware, the maker's discontinued styles of Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, Chocolate Pots, Sugar Bowls, Creamers, Fruit Bowls, Syrup Pitchers and Trays, Bread Trays, Cake Baskets, Butter Dishes, Smoking Sets, Serving Walters, Baking Dishes, Water Pitchers, Nut Bowls, Ice Tube.

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